



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For:

STATOR FOR DYNAMO-ELECTRIC MACHINE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 24, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## **IN THE CLAIMS:**

## Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Twice Amended) A stator for a dynamo-electric machine of the type having a rotor disposed inside the stator, wherein a core of said stator comprises:

an inner ring core formed of a plurality of laminated magnetic plate members having a plurality of teeth integrally provided on an inner side thereof, coils disposed in slots formed between said teeth, end faces of said laminated magnetic plate members contacting each other; and

an outer ring core formed of at least one magnetic member and cylindrical in shape, fitted on an outer circumferential surface of said inner ring core and holding said inner ring core.